## Do you want to lead the First Night Parade?

Children ages 5-12 submit a short essay by 11/6/06: (parents may help write it down)

"Why I want to lead the First Night Parade?"



One winner from each age category will carry banners and flags!

One overall winner will lead the parade!

Include with your essay:

Name, age, telephone, address, teacher, grade, and school

Drop off or Mail to:

Fredericksburg Parks & Recreation Department 408 Canal Street Fredericksburg, VA 22401 (540) 372-1086 ext. 215 www.firstnightfredericksburg.com

Like the character in Harriet Ziefert's book First Night

EVERYONE can come march in the First Night Parade!

The First Night Parade, on Dec. 31, 2006, starts at 8:30 pm at the Visitor Center. It marches down Caroline Street ending at the Headquarters Library. Upon arrival children can write wishes for the wishing tree that will be lit up at 9:00 pm by the parade leader.



FIRST NIGHT STAR SPONSORS City of Fredericksburg Free Lance-Star FLS Radio Group